Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota
Office of the Governor

Whereas, In the history of humanity, traveling to enjoy entertainment, merchandise, and camaraderie to be found at a fair was a prized privilege; and,

Whereas, Gathering together in the pleasant summer air is acknowledged to benefit our populace; and,

Whereas, The exchange of ideas and goods found at such fairs enriches the spirits of those attending, as well as the coffers of the state; and,

Whereas, A celebration of the culture and customs of a renaissance enhances our justified reputation as a land of incredible and enjoyable variety.

Now, Therefore, I, M. Michael Rounds, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim June 5 and 6, 2004, as

SIOUXLAND RENAISSANCE FESTIVAL DAYS

in South Dakota.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twenty-eighth Day of May in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Four.

M. Michael Rounds, Governor

Attest:

Chris Nelson, Secretary of State